

Amendments to the Claims

Claim 1 (Cancelled).

Claim 2 (Currently Amended) The illumination apparatus of Claim 7 [[1]], wherein at least one of said pedestal assemblies further includes an attachment/detachment device connected to a body of said pedestal assembly structured for detachably connecting said pedestal assembly to said main housing.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended) The illumination apparatus of Claim 7 [[1]], further comprising a handle attached to a portion of said main housing.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended) The illumination apparatus of Claim 7 [[1]], wherein at least one of said sets of jaws is resiliently biased in a normally closed positioned.

Claim 5 (Original) The illumination apparatus of Claim 4, further comprising at least one spring structured for maintaining said normally closed position of said resiliently biased normally closed set of jaws.

Claim 6 (Cancelled).

Claim 7 (Currently Amended) An illumination apparatus structured for use in association with a utility structure, said illumination apparatus comprising:

a main housing having a light source operatively associated with said main housing;

at least one pedestal assembly detachably connected to said main housing, at least one of said pedestal assemblies having at least one set of jaws structured for receiving a portion of a cable therein;

~~The illumination apparatus of Claim 6, further comprising~~ a flexible neck structured for operatively associating said light source with said main housing, wherein said flexible neck is comprised of a resiliently flexible material.

Claim 8 (Cancelled).

Claim 9 (Currently Amended) An illumination apparatus structured for use in association with a utility structure, said illumination apparatus comprising:

a main housing having a light source operatively associated with said main housing;

at least one pedestal assembly detachably connected to said main housing, at least one of said pedestal assemblies having at least one set of jaws structured for receiving a portion of a cable therein; and,

~~The illumination apparatus of Claim 1, further comprising~~ at least one additional pedestal assembly detachably connected to said main housing.

Claim 10 (Currently Amended) The illumination apparatus of Claim 7 [[1]], further comprising a lining positioned on at least a portion of at least one of said sets of jaws.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended) The illumination apparatus of Claim 10, wherein said lining is comprised of a material structured to resist movement between said lining and the ~~said~~ cable.

Claim 12 (Original) An illumination apparatus structured for use in association with a utility structure, said illumination apparatus comprising:

a main housing;

a handle having at least one arm operatively associated with said main housing;

at least one pedestal assembly having at least one set of jaws, said pedestal assembly having a portion connected to said main housing, said set of jaws being structured for receiving a portion of a cable therein; and,

at least one push rod connected to a portion of at least one of said sets of jaws, said push rod being structured for contact with said arm of said handle.

Claim 13 (Original) The illumination apparatus of Claim 12, further comprising at least one arm stud attached to said handle for operatively associating said handle with said main housing.

Claim 14 (Original) The illumination apparatus of Claim 13, further comprising at least one arm stud spring wrapped around said arm stud, said arm stud spring being structured for biasing said handle outwardly with respect to said main housing.

Claim 15 (Original) The illumination apparatus of Claim 12, wherein at least one of said pedestal assemblies includes a detachable connection to said main housing.

Claim 16 (Original) The illumination apparatus of Claim 15, wherein said detachable connection includes a threadedly detachable connection.

Claim 17 (Currently Amended) The illumination apparatus of Claim 12 ~~[[1]]~~, further comprising at least one push rod spring operatively associated with at least one of said push rods.

Claim 18 (Original) The illumination apparatus of Claim 17, further comprising said push rod spring being positioned on an end of said push rod structured for operative contact with said arm of said main housing.

Claim 19 (Original) The illumination apparatus of Claim 12, further comprising at least one additional pedestal assembly detachably connected to said main housing.

Claim 20 (Cancelled).